

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1-43. (canceled).

44. (currently amended) A clip assembly for joining a plurality of roller trays in a gravity feed roller system, wherein each of the roller trays comprises a side defining a plurality of apertures, the clip assembly comprising:

a clip including first and second sides each having first and second protruding tines flanking a guide post, each of the first and second tines configured to engage with respective ones of the plurality of apertures to connect two or more of the plurality of roller trays, each guide post being longer than each tine;

wherein the clip further comprises a slot extending generally perpendicularly to the guide post, ~~the slot being configured to engage a divider bar; and~~

a divider bar selectively engaged in the slot to divide the plurality of roller trays into two dispensing roller surfaces.

45. (currently amended) A clip assembly as defined in claim 44, wherein each of the protruding tines comprises a center section and a pair of flexible arms each joined at one end to the center section, wherein the flexible arms have a normal biased position ~~ends that are normally biased away from one another.~~

46. (currently amended) A clip assembly as defined in claim 45, wherein the flexible arms are configured to move toward the center section when being inserted into the respective apertures and return to the normal biased position when the tines are fully inserted into the aperture such that the tines are locked into the apertures.

47. (currently amended) A clip assembly as defined in claim 44, wherein the apertures further comprise guide apertures receiving the guideposts to locate the clip in a prescribed position.

48. (currently amended) A clip assembly as defined in claim 47, wherein the prescribed position comprises a position where the tines may properly engage with the respective ones of the apertures.

49-51. (canceled).

52. (currently amended) A clip assembly as defined in claim 44, the clip having a thickness that causes a gap to be defined between the first and second roller trays such that the slots are engageable with the divider bar.

53. (currently amended) A clip assembly for joining a first member to a second member, the clip assembly comprising:

a body having a top side, a front side, a back side, and two opposing lateral sides, the body extending along a first axis;

a slot disposed in the top side of the body and extending along the first axis, the slot being configured to receive a divider bar; and

a guide post and a first tine extending out from each of the lateral sides, wherein the guide post and first tine are disposed at an angle from the first axis and can extend into

apertures in the first member and the second member to join the first member to the second member; and

a divider bar selectively engaged in the slot to divide the plurality of roller trays into two dispensing roller surfaces.

54. (currently amended) The clip assembly as defined in claim 53, further comprising a partial slot, wherein the slot and the partial slot are engageable with a cutout in the divider bar to positively hold the divider bar in place.

55. (currently amended) The clip assembly as defined in claim 54, wherein the partial slot extends through the front side wall.

56. (currently amended) The clip assembly as defined in claim 53, further comprising a second tine extending from each lateral side, each of the first tine and the second tine flanking each guide post.

57. (currently amended) A clip for joining a first member to a second member, the clip comprising:

a body having a top side, a front side, a back side, and two opposing lateral sides, the body extending along a first axis;

a slot disposed in the top side of the body and extending along the first axis, the slot being configured to receive a divider bar;

a guide post and a first tine extending out from each of the lateral sides, wherein the guide post and first tine are disposed at an angle from the first axis and can extend into

apertures in the first member and the second member to join the first member to the second member; and

a second tine extending from each lateral side, each of the first tine and the second tine flanking each guide post;

~~The clip as defined in claim 56,~~ wherein the guide post, the first tine, and the second tine are disposed generally perpendicularly to the first axis.

58. (currently amended) A clip for joining a first member to a second member, the clip comprising:

a body having a top side, a front side, a back side, and two opposing lateral sides, the body extending along a first axis;

a slot disposed in the top side of the body and extending along the first axis, the slot being configured to receive a divider bar;

a guide post and a first tine extending out from each of the lateral sides, wherein the guide post and first tine are disposed at an angle from the first axis and can extend into apertures in the first member and the second member to join the first member to the second member; and

a second tine extending from each lateral side, each of the first tine and the second tine flanking each guide post;

~~The clip as defined in claim 56,~~ wherein each of the first tine and the second tine include a center section and a pair of flexible arms each joined at one end of the center section, the flexible arms having a normal biased position.

59. (currently amended) The clip assembly as defined in claim 53, wherein the guide post and first tine are disposed generally perpendicularly from the first axis.

60. (currently amended) The clip assembly as defined in claim 53, ~~the first member being a first roller tray, and the second member being a second roller tray,~~ wherein the clip has a thickness perpendicular to the first axis wide enough to allow the divider bar to extend between the first and second member roller tray.

61. (previously presented) A clip for joining a first member to a second member, the clip comprising:

a body having a top side, a front side, a back side, and two opposing lateral sides, the body extending along a first axis;

a slot, a first partial slot, and a second partial slot each disposed in the top side of the body and extending along the first axis, the slot and first and second partial slots each being configured to receive a divider bar; and

a guide post and a pair of tines flanking the guide post extending out from each of the lateral sides, wherein the guide post and tines are disposed generally perpendicularly to the first axis.

62. (previously presented) The clip as defined in claim 61, wherein the first partial slot extends through the front side and the second partial slot extends through the back side.

63. (currently amended) The clip as defined in claim 61, wherein each of the tines include a center section and a pair of flexible arms each joined at one end of the center

section, the flexible arms having a normal biased position ~~ends that are biased away from the~~
~~center section.~~